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MICHAEL K. CRAFT 10345 AZUAGA ST. #75 SAN DIEGO, CA 92129			TAYLOR, BARRY W	
			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
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**Notice of Abandonment**

Application No.

10/065,622

Examiner

Barry W Taylor

Applicant(s)

CRAFT, MICHAEL KENT

Art Unit

2643

**-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--**

This application is abandoned in view of:

1. ☒ Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on 23 November 2004.
  - (a) ☐ A reply was received on \_\_\_\_\_ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated \_\_\_\_\_), which is after the expiration of the period for reply (including a total extension of time of \_\_\_\_\_ month(s)) which expired on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (b) ☐ A proposed reply was received on \_\_\_\_\_, but it does not constitute a proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 (a) to the final rejection.  
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection consists only of: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114).
  - (c) ☐ A reply was received on \_\_\_\_\_ but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).
  - (d) ☒ No reply has been received.
2. ☐ Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).
  - (a) ☐ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on \_\_\_\_\_ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated \_\_\_\_\_), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).
  - (b) ☐ The submitted fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is insufficient. A balance of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is due.  
The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$\_\_\_\_\_. The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(d), is \$\_\_\_\_\_.
  - (c) ☐ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received.
3. ☐ Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37).
  - (a) ☐ Proposed corrected drawings were received on \_\_\_\_\_ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated \_\_\_\_\_), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.
  - (b) ☐ No corrected drawings have been received.
4. ☐ The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or all of the applicants.
5. ☐ The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity under 37 CFR 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application.
6. ☐ The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference rendered on \_\_\_\_\_ and because the period for seeking court review of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims.
7. ☒ The reason(s) below:

Examiner attempted to contact Michael Craft via 858-484-7449 but phone has been disconnected. Examiner emailed Michael Craft (mike@dvno.com---found on Applicant's electronic filing data, dated 11/04/02) and was informed that no Office Action notification was received but indicated that notification was received via mail (see attachment). Therefore, the Examiner is forced to send out notice of Abandonment.

CURTIS KUNTZ  
SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER  
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Petitions to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b), or requests to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181, should be promptly filed to minimize any negative effects on patent term.

## Taylor, Barry

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**From:** Michael Craft [mike@navio.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 14, 2005 5:52 PM  
**To:** Taylor, Barry  
**Subject:** RE: Patent application 10/065,622

That's right. I will do that.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Taylor, Barry [mailto:Barry.Taylor@USPTO.GOV]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 14, 2005 1:58 PM  
**To:** Michael Craft  
**Subject:** RE: Patent application 10/065,622

Michael you need to file another change of address like you did on 3/19/03.

Thanks,  
Barry Taylor

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Michael Craft [mailto:mike@navio.com]  
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**To:** Taylor, Barry  
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Please send it to the following address:

Michael Craft  
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**From:** Taylor, Barry [mailto:Barry.Taylor@USPTO.GOV]  
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**To:** Michael Craft  
**Cc:** Taylor, Barry  
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Michael, the Application is technically abandoned. Therefore, I have to send out the abandonment notice to you.

Thanks,  
Barry W. Taylor

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**From:** Michael Craft [mailto:mike@navio.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 14, 2005 3:50 PM  
**To:** Taylor, Barry  
**Subject:** RE: Patent application 10/065,622

Hi Barry-

Thanks for contacting me. I have not received any Office Action notification. I have received notification via mail, and email in the past. Can I view the required Office Action online at uspto.gov?

Michael

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From: Taylor, Barry [mailto:Barry.Taylor@USPTO.GOV]  
Sent: Tuesday, June 14, 2005 12:10 PM  
To: Michael Craft  
Cc: Taylor, Barry  
Subject: Patent application 10/065,622

Mike, my name is Barry Taylor and I am a Patent Examiner at the USPTO. I'm sending you an email in response to your patent application 10/065,622. My records indicate that there is an outstanding office action that was due 2/23/05 could you please check your records and advise.

Thanks,  
Barry Taylor  
email barry.taylor@uspto.gov  
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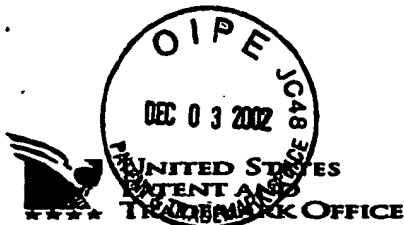
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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**Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

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**DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR  
DESIGN  
PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 1.63)**

☐ Declaration Submitted with Initial Filing      OR      ☐ Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing (surcharge (37 CFR 1.16 (e)) required)

Attorney Docket Number	MCR1-643
First Named Inventor	Michael Craft
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	10 / 065,622
Filing Date	11/04/2002
Art Unit	2643
Examiner Name	

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Method and process to integrate prepaid PIN disbursement at retail point of sale (POS).

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto

OR

☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 11/04/2002 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number 10/065,622 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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Given Name (first and middle [if any]) <u>Michael Kent</u>				Family Name or Surname <u>Craft</u>			
Inventor's Signature <u>Michael Kent</u>						Date <u>11/25/02</u>	
Residence: City <u>San Diego</u>		State <u>CA</u>		Country <u>US</u>		Citizenship <u>YES</u>	
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